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Applicants: Lee and Esquela Art Unit: 1646
Application No.: 09/361,655 Examiner: P. Mertz
Filed: July 27, 1999
Title: METHODS FOR DETECTING A LIVER DISORDER (Amended)

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Washington, D.C. 20231

TRANSMITTAL SHEET

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for the above-identified application please find:

1. Response to the Final Office Action dated January 22, 2001 (5 pages);
2. Petition for Three (3) Months Extension of Time (2 pages);
3. Notice of Appeal (2 pages);
4. Check No. 484228 in the amount of \$600.00; and
5. Return Receipt Postcard.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.8	
I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail on this date, July 20, 2001, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.	
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Total Claims	8	20	0	x \$18	x \$09	\$.00
Independent Claims	2	3	0	x \$80	x \$40	\$.00
Multiple Claims				\$270	\$135	\$.00
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Enclosed is Check No. 484228 in the total amount of \$600.00; which consists of Appeal Fee (\$155.00) and Three Months Extension Fee (\$445.00). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees associated with the filing submitted herewith, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 50-1355. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: July 20, 2001



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